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NOTICE—Selling high level grain loading platform at Entice, also ten ton Fairbanks, Weigh Scales. Tenders will be accepted on or before the 15th of September, 1952.

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Cards of Thanks

Mrs. M. H. Wright would like to express her thanks and appreciation to all her friends who sent flowers, cards and letters to her while in the hospital.

We wish to express our sincere thanks and appreciation for all the contributions of beautiful flowers, received from the Old Timers and other Associations and friends. Also the many acts and deeds of kindness rendered to us during our recent bereavement, hospitalization and convalescence.

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Mr. and Mrs. Ted Schmidt are away for a few days holiday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frier Bessant are visiting in Victoria at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dick Heath.

Miss Lois McAlpine accompanied her sister, who has returned to New Denver, to Calgary. Lois returned Sunday morning.

Johnston Hart, formerly of Carbon and now residing in Halifax, Nova Scotia is visiting friends in Carbon and in the Three Hills district.

Mr. and Mrs. George Zerky (Grace Phillips) and family of Courtney, B.C. are visiting friends and relatives in Carbon and Michichi and wish to be remembered to all the old friends in this community.



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Farm Safety Crusade Needed

A national crusade is urgently needed to reduce the appalling loss of human lives, the suffering and misery, and the great losses of manpower and farm income caused by farm accidents in Canada. In the Prairie Provinces particularly, accidents continue to take a toll completely out of proportion to our farming population.

Staggering Losses. A recent report made by the Dominion Bureau of Statistics shows that the Prairie Provinces, with about one-third of Canada's farming population, has 60% of the farm accidents. This is due to the fact that farming in Western Canada is more highly mechanized and intensified than in other parts of the country. No farmer should wait until the first, or another, accident occurs on his own farm before he enforces safety measures. The time is now! Tomorrow may be too late!

Think Safety, Act Safely. Here is a list of some of the types of individuals who are responsible for farm accidents:

"Hurry Harry", who never takes time to take care.

"Gambling Joe", who depends on luck, and takes wild, needless chances.

"Sloppy Sam", who never has anything in place, and disregards all safety rules.

"Hap Hazard", who is always in a hurry. He never plans ahead.

"Arsonic Al", who smokes in the barn and around inflammable liquids, and never bothers to label poisons.

Be sure and take the right attitude toward farm safety. The following slogan, which is now being widely publicized in the United States, contains the soundest advice we can give to prairie farmers—
"Adopt right attitudes toward farm safety; think safety, act safely". Make every effort to prevent accidents during the present harvest season. The responsibility is yours. Your farm is as safe as you make it.

Mr. Jim Stout of Irricana was visiting at the home of his daughter and son in law, Mr. and Mrs. McAlpine.

BORN—To Mr. and Mrs. G.C. Leeson of Didsbury, twin daughters in Calgary General hospital August 10th.

Mrs. Jim Murphy and Perry, (nee Peggy Heath) of Harrington Alta. were weekend visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Appleyard.

We are sorry to report Ann Breckenridge of Calgary is a polio victim. We wish her a speedy recovery and hope to see her out at the home of Dr. and Mrs. McFarlane before the holidays are over.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert McAlpine and son of Fort Nelson and Mrs. Ivan Flint and son of New Denver are visiting at the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. R. McAlpine.

Trochu won the baseball tournament at the Swallow 3-0 by defeating Carbon 10-7 in the final.

Trochu defeated Three Hills 7-3 in their semi-final game. Carbon reached the final by outscoring Swallow 17-14 in a 12 inning game after Swallow had scored 11 runs in the first inning. We understand Walter Mucha, the Carbon centre fielder was the star of this game with several sensational catches. Walter caught the remarkable total of 14 flies in this game.

There was a good attendance at the dance to round out an enjoyable day.

Legionaires defeated Newcastle 14-12 Sunday, Aug. 10.

Aug. 11th, 1952 was a beautiful Alberta summer day, fitting setting for an interesting occasion, that of the people of Swallow and neighborhood gathering to pay tribute to Dr. and Mrs. Elliott after forty years of devoted service in the community.

Lots of old acquaintances met and reminisced of old times while the younger generation ran races, etc. and some not so young did likewise. The tug of war was eagerly contested, the prizes being enticing, a slice each of a big watermelon. Every now and then the eager servitors would hand out ice cream, indulged in rather recklessly I'm afraid, at times.

The high spot, of course, was the presentation of very appropriate gifts to the guests by Harold Empey, first baby born in the Doctor's practice here. Greetings were brought by Mr. Burns, Mr. Purvis and Mr. MacDonald. Mrs. Jim Young ably read a poem, written for the occasion by an old friend, Mr. McLennan. Community singing congratulated the couple. Dr. feelingly replied to all on behalf of his wife and himself.

Children and folks born during the Doctor's practice were photographed and they were a goodly number, although a mere handful of those who could have been counted.

A picnic lunch brought the afternoon activities to a close with many a wish expressed for continued health and a happy retirement for Dr. and Mrs. Elliott in their favorite abode right here in their beloved Alberta.



PATRICIA MARY GOULDIE
Patricia Mary Gouldie, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Gouldie of Watts, Alberta passed away in a Calgary hospital on Thursday, August 7th at the age of 2½ months.

Interment took place in Carbon cemetery Monday, August 11th with Rev. R. R. Hinchey of Edmonton officiating.

CHARLES PATTISON

Charles Pattison was born on Feb. 26, 1895 in St. Catharines, Ontario. He came to Crossfield, Alberta with his parents about fifty years ago, and a few years later settled at Carbon where he resided until his death, which took place Wednesday, August 6th in Drumheller hospital after a long period of indifferent health.

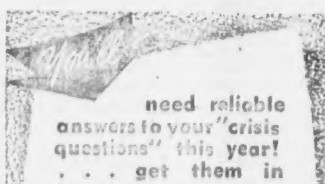
He is survived by one daughter, Violet at home, and one son, Donald of Wetaskiwin; a sister, Mrs. E. Wilson of Edmonton, and a brother, William of Vancouver.

He served his King and Country in World War 1 with the 50th battalion of the 15th Light Horse Brigade.

In Oct., 1921 he married Florence Mancell, who predeceased him March 13, 1950.

Rev. R. R. Hinchey of Edmonton officiated at funeral services, and the following acted as pallbearers: R. Garrett, S.J. Garrett, R. Barnes, Chas. Nash, A.J. McLeod, George Trepanier.

Winter Bros. were Funeral Directors and interment took place in Carbon cemetery.



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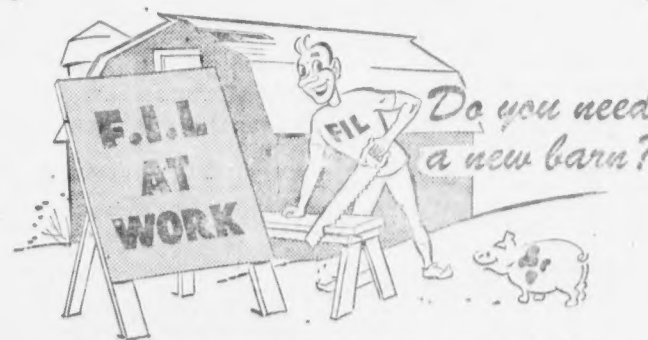
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Strange Foot Print Found On Rock, 68 Feet Underground

GRAVELBOURG, Sask. — We've heard of finger prints, foot prints in the snow or in the mud, and photographic prints, even rayon dress prints. But how about petrified foot prints? So help us it's a fact. It has been called to our attention recently that a farmer, Curtis McCammack, southwest of Gravelbourg, found on his farm while digging a well at a depth of 68 feet, a rock of about 50 pounds which has impressed on it a well defined foot print.

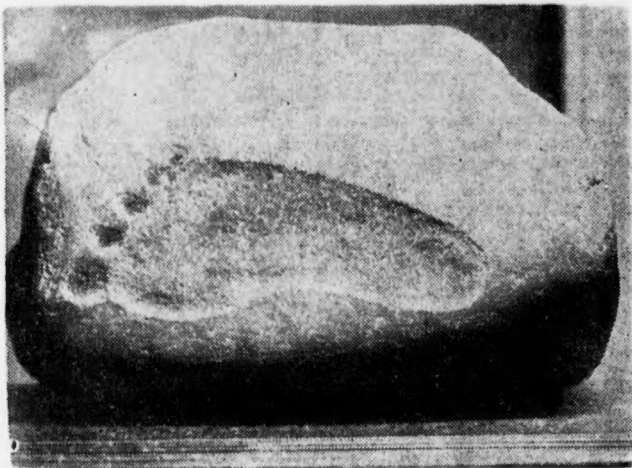
This well, so we are told, was dug in and about the year 1910, but the rock upon which the foot print is outlined was not noticed until recently when the farmer on his way home after a rain, saw the foot mark on the rock near the well. His comment to himself at the moment was "!!! Looks like someone has been snooping around here just recently." Then after he had passed it, his curiosity got the better of him and made him turn back and investigate. To his surprise, he discovered that the foot print was far from being a fresh one as he had anticipated, but on the contrary was one well impressed in a granite type rock, and which the light effect plus the reflection of the rain drops made stand out. It isn't

sure yet, but it is anticipated that this rock and its print may be thousands of years old.

Many have seen this rock and were both awed and amazed at the weird but well defined print in it.

The foot that made the imprint was never, according to the measurements of the ball of the foot print, restrained or held in or tamed by that invention of civilization, "A shoe" which is oft a blessing to modern man, as well as a curse on somebody's lips if it injures or causes blisters or corns on the foot.

However, now it is generally believed that the print was carved in the rock by Indians and it may have some religious significance. The granite rock with the print weighed 50 pounds.



STRANGE ROCK—This rock with the imprint of a human foot was discovered in a well on the farm of Curtis McCammack, southwest of Gravelbourg. How the footprint got there is anybody's guess, but it is generally believed that the print was carved in the rock by Indians and it may have some religious significance. The granite rock with the print weighed 50 pounds.

IN ALBERTA

Big Bounties Offered For Dead Wolves, Cougars

EDMONTON, Alta. — The Alberta government posted hefty bounties for dead timber wolves and cougars in a ruthless attempt to halt their attacks on livestock and game in the province.

Game officers report the vicious killers are making deep inroads into stock and game, especially in the foothills of the Rocky Mountains.

There is now a \$15 bounty on cougars killed in Alberta, exclusive of national parks, up until next March 31.

Timber wolves also cannot be killed in national parks, but their bounty is up to \$15 for each animal killed between April 1 and Sept. 30, and \$12 per animal for the remainder of the year when the pelt will be more valuable to hunters.

PRIZE DONATED IN HONOR OF M. J. COLDWELL

SASKATOON. — A prize in honor of C.C.F. leader M. J. Coldwell has been donated for annual competition at the University of Saskatchewan. The \$150 prize was donated by Dr. Hugh McLean, formerly of Regina.

LUMBER MILLS

Manitoba had 157 active lumber mills in 1950 and the gross value of their products was more than \$3,300,000.

FALSE TEETH

That Loosen Need Not Embarrass

Many wearers of false teeth have suffered real embarrassment because their plate dropped, slipped or wobbled at just the wrong time. Do not live in fear of this happening to you. Just sprinkle a little FASTEETH, the alkaline (non-acid) powder, on your plates. Holds false teeth more firmly, so they feel more comfortable. Does not sour. Checks "plate odor" (denture breath). Get FASTEETH at any drug store.

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Funny and Otherwise

A business man who owned a small sailing-boat invited a friend to go with him for a sail. A squall came up suddenly and the owner was pitched overboard. While he was struggling with the waves, his friend peered anxiously over the side of the boat and cried:

"I say, Simon, if you don't come up for the third time, may I have the boat?"

"That girl frankly confesses she's looking for a husband."

"So am I."

"I thought you had one!"

"So I have, but I spend most of my time looking for him."

"Just look at old Phillips over there — thoroughly enjoying himself! And I've always understood he was a woman-hater."

"So he is; but she's not with him tonight."

Said the fortune-teller, shaking her head: "I'm sorry to tell you that you'll be a widow soon. Your husband is going to die a violent death."

"Will I be acquitted?" asked her client eagerly.

The minister was asking one of his flock why he had not attended church lately. "Well, you see sir," said the man, "I'm troubled with a bunion on my foot."

"Strange," said the parson, "that a bunion should impede the pilgrim's progress."

Wife: Here, why rip out the back part of the book?

Doctor: Sorry, it said Appendix, and I took it out without thinking.

"Dad, I've decided on my career," young George announced. I'm going to be a detective. Already I'm practicing the art of deduction. Let me give you a demonstration. See that pile of ashes out there in the back yard. From that evidence, I deduce that we heat this house with coal!"

"Splendid! Splendid!" father enthused. "Now suppose you go out and sift the evidence!"

Brown quarrelled with his wife and walked out of the house. He did not return for twelve years, and when he did so, walked in quite calmly as though nothing unusual had happened.

"And where have you been?" his wife demanded, ominously. "Out!" came the reply.

The bigger the summer vacation, the harder the fall.

A newly-married man found his wife in tears when he arrived home from business.

"You know that cake I made from Mother's recipe?" she sobbed. "Well, I put it out to cool and the cat ate half of it."

"Never mind, darling," he comforted, "I know someone who will give us a kitten."

Sailor's Wife: "George, be sure to get shore leave on Thursday; we're going to have the baby christened."

George: "Listen! Nobody's going to hit that kid over the head with a bottle."

Discovers Home Skin Remedy

This clean stainless antiseptic known all over Canada as MOONE'S EMERALD OIL, is such a fine healing agent that Eczema, Barber's Itch, Salt Rheum, Itching Toes and Feet, and other inflammatory skin eruptions are often relieved in a few days.

MOONE'S EMERALD OIL is pleasant to use and it is so antiseptic and penetrating that many old stubborn cases of long standing have yielded to its influence.

MOONE'S EMERALD OIL is sold by druggists everywhere to help rid you of stubborn pimples and unsightly skin troubles—satisfaction or money back.

Extra Harvesters Needed On Prairies

OTTAWA. — The likelihood of bumper crops on the prairies this year indicates the probable need for 2,000 to 3,000 harvesters from other parts of Canada and arrangements for their movement have been made.

The labor department said in a statement that as in other years, the railways are co-operating in providing special low rates. The movement is expected to begin about the middle of next month and reach its peak about the end of August or beginning of September.

Teen-Aged Girls Help Rescue Boy From Drowning

GIMLI, Man. — Two teen-age girls rescued a partially blind boy from drowning in Lake Winnipeg after his bicycle struck on the edge of the dock here and threw him into the water.

The boy, Jimmy Halderson, 16, is a student at the school for the blind in Brantford, Ont., and is spending his summer holidays with his parents here.

Connie Miller, 13, dived in to help him when she heard his cries. Margaret Isfeld, 15, followed her when she was unable to bring the boy to shore.

Do You Know That...

A camel is not full grown until 17 years of age. 2996

PEGGY



"HE SHOULD GO AWAY"

Not Necessary To Be "Skunked Up" By Skunk

The Government Travel Bureau, always on the alert to make a tourist's visit to Canada a pleasant one, turned its attention recently to unpleasant possibilities. It issued a bulletin, "Helpful Hints for Skunk Victims". The Bureau, which said Canada was enjoying a travel year "which so far has been little short of terrific", admitted that a white-striped animal might decide to pay a visit to a cottager's or camper's lodgings. But the Bureau said:

"If you play it smart, you might not have to bury your clothes."

The main rule to follow in dealing with a visit from a skunk is, "Don't startle your visitor with loud noises or sudden actions," the Travel Bureau said.

In most cases, the Bureau added, when a skunk ambles up to a cottage or tent, he is hungry.

"If he gets inside, go outside," the Bureau advised tourists. And leave the door open.

Presumably, the animal then will follow you out. The trick then is to get back inside—but be careful not to make any of those dangerous "loud noises or sudden actions"—and close the door . . . gently.

What to do if the animal doesn't go away?

Well, said the Bureau, the skunk

is probably looking for food. So feed it.

"Put some milk, bread, fat, fish, or jam outside for him," the bureau advised, and added (hopefully, it seemed): "after he eats it, he should go away."

If the worst does happen—"if you do get skunked up," was the way the bureau worded it—it may not be necessary to burn down the cottage or tent. You don't have to burn your clothes, or bury them. And the best way to get rid of the smell on your body is not to dive into the nearest lake or river.

Warm water and soap is the best treatment for the body. Rinse with vinegar, tomato juice, or some other acid juice. That will counteract the "skunked up" atmosphere which otherwise will stick closer to you than your shadow.

As for your clothes, build a bonfire outside. But it isn't necessary to burn your clothes. Just spread them on brush piled around the fire. The flames and the woodsmoke will counteract the smell.

For your cabin, build a brisk fire in the grate, or open stove—even if the temperature is well up in the 80's or 90's. Again, the flame will act as a deodorizer.

In a tent, a fire in a small stove should do the trick. But keep the flame covered, or you'll be in danger of setting a fire worse in its way than the effects of the skunk.

Above all, keep up hope, for as the bureau said:

"He should go away."

GIVE SCHOOL CHILDREN HOLIDAYS IN INSTALMENTS

HUNTINGDON, Eng.—The education committee has agreed to give local school children their summer holidays in two instalments, the second half coincide with potato harvest time. Otherwise farmers wouldn't be able to handle the increased acreage.

2,000-YEAR-OLD LOTUS SEED BLOOMS

TOKYO.—A lotus seed certified by leading research professor Ichiro Osuga to be 2,000 years old bloomed in Chiba prefecture recently.



—By Chuck Thurston

Goes Back To School To Escape Wifely Chores

WINNIPEG.—A Winnipeg housewife has a remedy that she says provides an escape from wifely chores. If you're tired of dishes, diapers, making the grocery dollar stretch, want a new lease on life and admit that even the bridge club is no longer fun, here's what Mrs. Clara Fainstein says to do:

"Go back to school."
That's exactly what the 36-year-old mother and housewife did last year. She was one of more than 400 St. John's tech students who graduated recently with their grade 12 matriculation.

Graduation was "one of the happiest days of my life," she says. "It

was a terrifically interesting year and I could do it all over again." It was also an unusual year for St. John's. The school's first adult pupil made herself at home with the 'teen-agers. At first they thought she was a new teacher and played it safe. But Mrs. Fainstein assured them she was one of the gang and they settled down.

She added a touch to the home economics course when she brought her five-year-old son Ronnie to school.

The youngster found mother's school a great place to spend a couple of hours. He was a hit with the class. A housekeeper looked after Ronnie when he decided to stay home.

Mrs. Fainstein went back to school because "I needed something." She also wanted to complete her education, interrupted in Saskatchewan. Her courses were home economics, art, algebra and chemistry.

Now that she has her matriculation, Mrs. Fainstein feels she would like to go further, perhaps to university.

"Education is better than parties and card games. It's a real wholesome hobby—no matter what age you are," she said.

KINDERGARTEN HARMFUL IF CHILD TOO YOUNG

WINNIPEG.—School officials here say starting a child at kindergarten too soon can handicap him in the next grade. In a circular they say it takes a mental age of 6½ years to handle the reading program in the first grade.

GEMS OF THOUGHT

OUR WORK

Let your light so shine before men, that they may see your good works, and glorify your Father which is in heaven.—Christ Jesus.

If a man love the labor of any trade, apart from any question of success or fame, the Gods have called him.—Robert Louis Stevenson.

Our grand business is not to see what lies dimly at a distance, but to do what lies clearly at hand.

—Thomas Carlyle.

The right thinker works; he gives little time to society manners or matters, and benefits society by his example and usefulness.

—Mary Baker Eddy.

He started to sing as he tackled the thing That couldn't be done, and he did it.

—Edgar A. Guest.

That action is not warrantable which either fears to ask the divine blessing on its performance, or having succeeded, does not come with thanksgiving to God for its success.

—Francis Quarles.



(By Francis James)

Anyone who has ever decorated or re-decorated a room knows that things are seldom what they seem in those lovely mental pictures you have beforehand, in your mind's eye.

Either the startling yellow chintz you've dreamed of using as a foil for chocolate brown walls doesn't exist or else it's \$12.50 a yard. Or the deep mustard wallpaper that seemed, in your mind's eye, to be the perfect, dramatic note for the ceiling looks, when you actually see it, all wrong beside the particular shade of brown you thought would be right for the walls. And again, the turquoise in slip-covers that you thought was going to enliven the scheme and give it sparkle, simply takes on a bleak and wistful hue, pale and overpowered.

Any or all of these things can happen so easily that it's a stout-hearted amateur indeed who can tackle the problems of color scheme and

pattern planning without at least a few qualms.

You can, to a large extent, avoid disasters in decorating by thorough, practical planning before you so much as set up a stepladder, or drag a bucket out of the basement.

And thorough, practical planning is more, unfortunately, than jolling by the fireplace, painting mental pictures of lovely yellow chintz that will harmonize with lovely chocolate brown wallpaper that will harmonize with lovely, mustard ceiling paper.

Practical planning means plodding through stores—burrowing through the chintzes, collecting swatches by the dozen of anything and everything you think might be useful. It means thumbing through wallpaper sample books, picking one here, another there, always keeping your main scheme in mind—trying to see each as the background for the room you've planned.

It means all this and spending an evening, or a week of evenings, pouring over the combinations, and discarding them one by one, until you find the one you feel will suit your room best.

This is practical planning—and though it's a bit of a chore, it's worth the effort. For when you're through you can be reasonably sure that what you've chosen will look as you expect it to look. What's more, you will be entirely sure that all the materials you need are available when you need them.

This Is One Way To Keep A Lover

BERLIN.—An east Berlin court fined a landlady 300 marks (about \$20) for interfering in the love life of one of her boarders. The court was told that postman Ludwig Lustig, preparing himself for a date with his fiancée, fell asleep while soaking his feet in a tub of water. The landlady, Elizabeth Wenig, 54, poured plaster-of-Paris into the warm water. Lustig had to use a hammer to free his feet. Miss Wenig explained that she was trying to keep Lustig from seeing his sweetheart because she wanted to marry him herself.

Primitive Indians used cactus spines to fasten seams of their clothing.



FROM FLOOD TO DROUGHT IN 100 DAYS — This spring brought floods that gave residents of Missouri more water than they had any use for. Now Southwestern Missouri is in the throes of a super-heated drought. Farmers are hard put to keep the cattle fed and many of them have to haul water for long distances. This cow on the farm of O. D. Putnam is staring disconsolately at the baked mud at the bottom of what once was a water hole on the farm. Farmers say the drought is the worst in their memory.—Central Press Canadian.

Teacher Of 34 Years Finds Pupil Today Is Much Like His Father

PETROLIA, Ont.—The student of 1952 isn't much different from the student of 25 years ago, says Miss Rae L. L. Jones of Petrolia district high school.

Miss Jones is due to retire after teaching French and English at P.D.H.S. for the last 34 years. She says the modern student is more outspoken and enjoys a closer understanding with the teacher.

Twenty-five years ago pupils may have been a trifle more conscientious about study, she says, and more inclined to develop on their own initiative, but that does not mean that they were better fitted for the battles of life.

Miss Jones likes to recall the student, hopelessly confused in a French examination, who submitted a single sheet of paper. On it was drawn a goose with all its feathers scattered about. Beneath the drawing was a single line: "Not only plucked, but skinned alive."

Her best student? Miss Jones was

reluctant to answer that one. Instead, she recalled several she remembers for particular reasons.

In 1924 a pupil arrived late for French class and then interrupted proceedings by gathering books for a hasty departure. Asked to explain his actions he said: "Don't stop me now, I'm going to join the army and I'll write later."

The pupil was Fred Portsmouth, Petrolia's mayor, who served in Canada's permanent army for 23 years.

MARVELOUS WORKMANSHIP

The fortress at Sacashuaman, Peru, which was built by the Incas, contains many irregularly shaped rocks, some weighing more than 200 tons, fit so precisely together that even today a knife blade cannot be driven between them.

During the early years of the Christian era, raw silk was one of the important items imported by Rome from the Orient.

On The Side : By E. V. Durling

A weight reduction of 100 pounds in one year. That's what a young woman I know accomplished. In 12 months she changed her appearance from that of a rather ridiculous looking fat female to a streamlined glamor girl. She reduced from 225 pounds to 120. Asked how she did it she said: "By eating only one meal a day and falling in love." The falling in love made her desperately desire a glamorous appearance and enabled her to sacrifice two meals a day. I have just heard of a weight reduction diet that allows three meals a day, does not require falling in love and is said to be extremely effective. This curious diet calls for eating the same food at every meal. As for example, bacon and eggs, toast and coffee. Or steak and a baked potato. Or roast beef, peas and mashed potatoes. The choice is a wide one. What would be your choice?

Pedestrian Traffic Control

The idea of the white line to separate traffic going in different directions was originated by the Roman Emperor Hadrian. Many other men have claimed to have originated this brilliant idea, but it is as I have stated. The usual stogies ride on the claim. Now I think there should be a white line on sidewalks. It would speed up sidewalk traffic. Perhaps there should be two lines. One for a lane for window shoppers only. Then there should be sidewalk traffic regulations. Walking slowly three abreast would be a violation. Also there should be a fine for those pedestrians who fail to look where they are going and run into people.

Smart Animals

Subscriber maintains a cat is smarter than a dog. This is, of course, an erroneous claim. All research indicates dogs are far more intelligent than cats. In fact, while the dog is rated the fifth most intelligent animal, the cat is rated tenth in that respect. The rating of animal intelligence is as follows: 1, chimpanzee; 2, orangutan; 3, elephant; 4, gorilla; 5, dog; 6, beaver; 7, horse; 8, sea lion; 9, bear; 10, cat.

Into Second Spring

There are numerous feminine celebrities who are living proof that a woman of 50 or more can so rejuvenate her appearance that she appears from twenty to thirty years younger. Naturally the question constantly arises among women in general. How they do it? The research of our horses and women experts reveals it is accomplished in a wide variety of ways. It is now reported a Paris beauty expert in three weeks can make a woman appear twenty years or more younger. However, the treatment calls for so much courage, patience and endurance that few women can stand it. Among other things, it calls for wearing a mask-like preparation, as hard as concrete, for seven days. Throughout the treatment much pain is experienced. Still it is said to pay off handsomely. At the end of three weeks the fiftyish female is, in appearance, 30 years old again. All ready to enjoy a second spring.

Enter Finance, Exit Love

On this continent, husbands who turn their entire pay cheques over to their wives are in the majority. British husbands who do that are in the minority. Many a British wife doesn't even know what her husband's salary is. Seems most British husbands are a little on the tight side when it comes to handing out so-called housekeeping money. Now Dr. Edith Summerskill has proposed a law for married women that when a husband does not provide enough housekeeping money, the wife will have the right, by court order, to draw part of the husband's wages. When arguments about money enter into a home, love usually flies out the window. So, young fellow, either hand your pay cheque over to your wife or split it two ways and then have each take care of 50 per cent. of the household expenses.

Fewer Millionaires

There are only 39 millionaires in Great Britain. Also only 60 people in that country who have net incomes of \$17,000 or over. Most Britons earn between \$14 and \$28 a week. There are 9,290,000 in that group in Britain.

Mechanic Is A Lady

NEW YORK.—The mechanic who's rebuilding the 16-year-old car in a corner of a crowded west side parking lot happens to be a well-proportioned young lady who didn't know the transmission from the carburetor six weeks ago.

The owner of the combination parking lot and garage is a friend of her—a pretty brunette who used to be a bookkeeper before she learned how to grease cars and trucks.

"I bought it for \$10, said Terry Milburn, 25, the new mechanic, surveying the fenderless grey Ford set up on blocks. She was wearing shorts and a grease-stained strapless bra.

"The fellow sold it to me because he thought the block was cracked," she explained. "Helen told me that blocks hardly ever crack in this model, so I bought it."

Helen Spurno, 34, the parking lot owner, walked by just then, wearing a pale blue shantung dress and ankle strap shoes. She smiled encouragingly at Terry and jumped into a truck to back it into a narrow space.

The block wasn't cracked, as it turned out, so Terry has become the neighborhood marvel, building her investment into a machine which recently brought her a \$300 offer.

"It's not as hard as it looks," she said blithely. "You take a good look at a car and it's just held together by screws and bolts and things. Somebody tells you what to do and you do it."

At the moment, she was exploring the screws that held the upholstery in place.

"You want to know how to fill up a hole in the door, on the outside, when it's rusted away?" she asked suddenly, climbing outside car. "Put steel wool inside the hole and then put cold metal solder over that and prime it."

This has been a spare time project for Terry the past six weeks. She heads for the Manhattan parking lot as soon as she's through with her job writing for the women's page of a Long Island newspaper.

While she was replacing the gas-kets and the spark plugs she was also taking driving lessons, she'd never been behind the wheel or under the hood of a car before.

"I got the license, but I couldn't find a car with a floor shift like mine to practice on," she admitted. "They're all so modern now."

"You just have to get the feel of it," Helen explained. "It sort of fascinates you once you know what makes a motor run."

VALUABLE FOOD

Eggs have always been considered a valuable food, not only from the standpoint of nutrition but of versatility. They can appear as garnish, main course or dessert. Sieved hard-cooked yolk or chopped hard-cooked white add interest to a clear broth or consommé. Omelettes, souffles, croquettes, or creamed eggs are filling and satisfying as a main course. Fluffy fruit whips, airy meringues, and tender angel and sponge cakes are only a few examples of the important role of eggs in dessert.

HAVE NO EARS

Worms have no ears and so cannot actually hear, but their nerve systems notify them of such sounds as cause vibrations nearby.

Gertrude means "spear maid".

HERE'S HEALTH



When a child is sick in bed

Conceal from him all signs of dread.

A happy and a cheerful air

Will help his illness to repair.

Dept. of National Health and Welfare

U.S. All-Girl
Pipe Band
Tours Europe

World News In Pictures

Mother And
Grandma Win
Air Race

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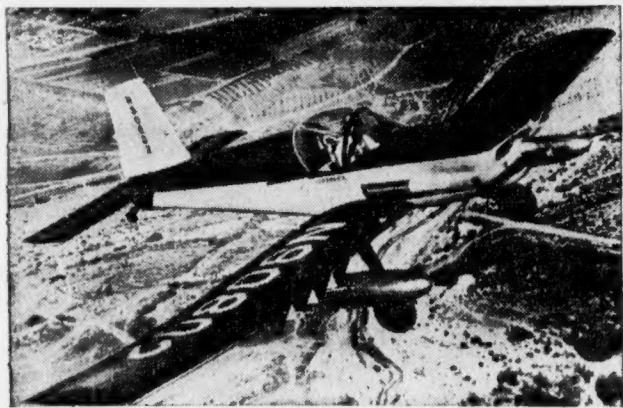
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ALL-GIRL PIPE BAND TOURS EUROPE—When the All-Girl Bagpipe Band from Iowa offered to render their interpretation of Scottish airs on Aberdeen streets, the city council rejected their offer and one of the council remarked the band probably consisted of a few "half-nude" girls playing "jazz or be-bop". The band has sailed from Montreal for Southampton and, whether Aberdeen likes it or not, they'll play—by invitation—at British, French, Holland and Swiss cities and towns. Drummer Wilma Waller shows the kilts which the girls will wear—and they hope they have opportunity to appear in Aberdeen.—Central Press Canadian.



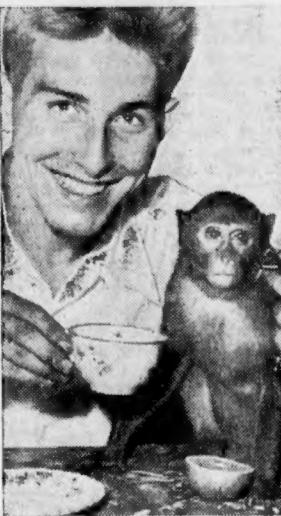
CHEAPER PLANE FOR TANK BUSTING—Making its first public appearance at Inyokern, Calif., is the controversial new U.S. "Baby Bomber", known as the FD-25. It's a 30-foot, all magnesium flying "tank buster", designed to eliminate enemy ground installations at a fraction of the cost of modern jet fighters. The test pictured here was made during national convention of the Aviation Writers' association.



DOWAGER QUEEN AT FAVORITE PASTIME—Dowager Queen Mother Mary is seldom seen in public now but here she is on a London shopping tour, one of her favorite pastimes. Leaving a west end antique shop, she is assisted by proprietor John Sparks.—Central Press Canadian.



Deep Six and Owner



Jerry and Owner

—Central Press Canadian Photos.
MONKEY GALLANTRY CAUSE OF CAPTURE—Stan Huntingdon has his pet monkey, Jerry, in custody again after a fling at liberty in the trees at Scarborough, Ont. The monkey eluded Huntingdon and dozens of others, including most of Scarborough's dogs, but fell for the feminine wiles of Deep Six, a lady monkey who was put on his trail. When Jerry gallantly stopped to chatter, he was apprehended by Petty Officer W. R. Franklin, owner of Deep Six.



—Central Press Canadian.

BACK ON THE JOB—Back at his old job is Egyptian Premier Hussein Sirry Pasha, 60, pictured in Cairo as he was named to succeed Premier Hilaly Pasha, who resigned in June. Hussein Sirry was head of the government from 1940 to 1942 and again from 1949 to 1950.

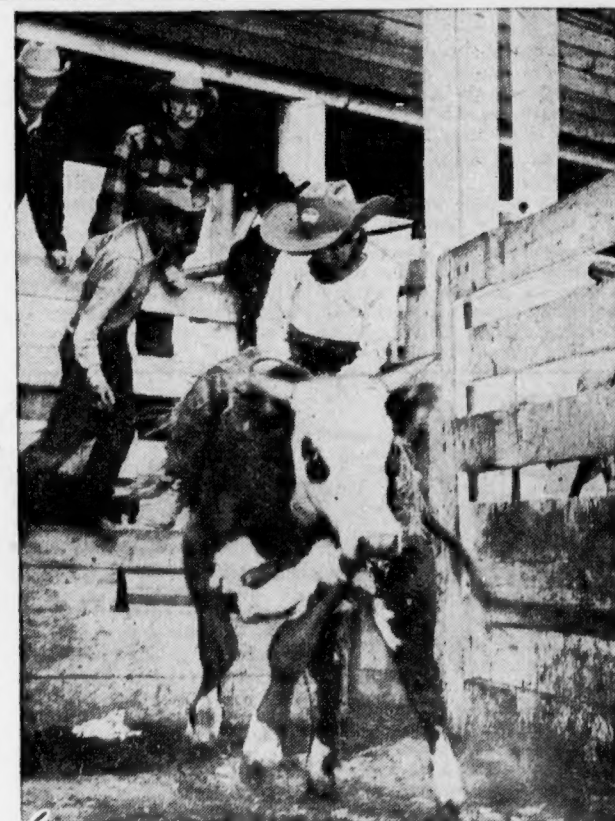


—Central Press Canadian.

ELECTED WITHOUT THE CUSTOMARY BULLETS—Adolfo Ruiz Cortines, candidate of the government-backed party of revolutionary institutions took an early lead in returns from Mexico's biggest and most peaceful presidential elections. "Not a single shot was fired in Mexico," newspapers proclaimed in jubilation at the peaceful voting.



MOTHER, GRANDMA WIN AIR RACE—A mother and a grandmother, pilot and co-pilot of a small plane, are congratulated after being the first to land at Teterboro, New Jersey, airport in the sixth annual "Powder Puff Air Derby" from Santa Ana, Calif. They made the 2,700-mile trip in seventeen and one-half hours. Here, Constance Hahn shakes hands with Mrs. Isabelle McCrae, a grandmother, of Lemon, Calif., while John Pero congratulates the co-pilot, Mrs. Betty McNeil, a mother, of La Mesa, Calif.—Central Press Canadian.



MAN AND MOUNT ABOUT TO PART—An entry in the steer-riding contest at Calgary's famous Stampede appears about to become air-borne as his mount bucks and turns. The Stampede attracted thousands from the U.S. and Canada.—Central Press Canadian.



PERSISTENT EFFORTS SAVE LIFE—When Harold Stimson saw a head bobbing in the Trent River current, shown here, at Trenton, Ont., he jumped in and pulled out Ronald Richardson, right in inset. Ronnie, 13, appeared dead, but three youths gave him artificial respiration for over an hour and are credited with saving his life. Ronnie recovered when a doctor arrived to administer a heart stimulant.—Central Press Canadian.

FIRST AID

First Aid is just what the two words imply, namely the earliest possible intelligent aid or help given to the victim of an accident or sudden illness. This aid is usually of a temporary nature only, to be given at once, at the scene of the accident or sudden illness and before a doctor is available to assume responsibility.

CONTROL OF BLEEDING FROM SPECIAL WOUNDS

Scalp: The scalp bleeds furiously even when slightly wounded.

1. Keep the victim sitting up—but quiet.
2. Apply a firm dry pad.
3. Bandage in place.

Nose Bleed:

1. Keep the victim sitting up—but quiet.
2. Loosen the collar or neck band.
3. Press the nostrils firmly together.
4. Apply cold wet cloths to cover the face and especially the nose.
5. Warn the victim to avoid blowing his nose, but to clear it by gentle snuffing.

Palm of the Hand:

Stab wounds are apt to have Recurrent Bleeding.

1. Fill the hollow of the palm with a fitted pad.
2. Place a bandage roll across the palm and bend the fingers to grasp it.
3. Bandage the hand and wrist firmly in the form of a closed fist.

4. Suspend the hand higher than the heart level.

Burst Varicose Vein of the Leg

Varicose veins of the leg are common and frequently result in an ulcer. If not properly supported by bandaging a varicose vein in the floor of an ulcer may burst and the bleeding is profuse, but very easily controlled.

First Aid:

1. Lay the victim flat—at once—no matter where he or she may be.
2. Elevate the foot and leg as high as possible. The bleeding will immediately cease unless there is a garter or other tight band around the leg.
3. Apply a small pad and firm pressure directly over the bleeding point and bandage in place. Apply a supporting bandage from the instep to immediately above the bleeding point.
4. The victim may then get up and walk away unless there has been delay in giving First Aid and the blood loss has been excessive.



WANT HIM FIRED—The "Red" Dean of Canterbury's findings on germ warfare recently brought an angry demand in the British Parliament for his immediate dismissal. Nine Conservatives asked the house to petition the Queen to dismiss the 78-year-old dean, Dr. Hewlett Johnson, who returned from a tour of communist China.

Kitchen Meditations

By JANE DALE

ON SEEING A DEAD CANARY

Just a spot of color;
Bright yellow and brown,
Crushed against the greensward
As if in flight brought down.
Silent now the birdsong;
Melody and trill.
Silent too the frail heart
As the wings lie still.

Just one spot of color
Flung down by the way.
One bird less for beauty;
One song less each day.
Place it gently under
The green grass and flowers
With a thought in passing
Of its few brief hours.

Weekly Tip

FRUIT STAINS

Fruit stains can be removed from table linen by moistening the spots with pure glycerin, and then laundering in the usual manner.

World Happenings Briefly Told

Rubber motorcar fenders which will reduce the impact in minor collisions but still retain their shape, now are being manufactured in a British automobile plant.

Captain C. E. Duggan, master of the Canadian Pacific liner Empress of Scotland, has been appointed an aide-de-camp to the Queen, it was disclosed in the court circular.

Some birds never learn. A bank swallow that was banded and released in Baldur, Manitoba, returned to the same place where it was caught, almost exactly one year later.

Many of Britain's homes for the blind are co-operating in an appeal for £120,000 to provide more books in Braille. Reports indicated a shortage of the books in institutions for the blind.

Vancouver zoo has received a shipment of king penguins, the gift of the governor of the Falkland Islands of South America. The birds will become the only king penguins in captivity anywhere in Canada.

Canada must have a year-round federal civil defence instruction school if the country's progress in this field is to be maintained, Sir John Hodson, chief of Great Britain's civil defence services, said in Winnipeg.

A current government report showed Canada was Britain's best customer for pedigree livestock in 1950. Canada in that year made purchases totalling £94,500. Argentina, Australia and the United States were next among 26 foreign purchasers who paid a total of £543,372.

New Drug Boon To Hay Fever Sufferers

PHILADELPHIA. — A new drug that has taken the misery out of the ragweed season for hundreds of hay fever sufferers is obtainable through the country, it was disclosed.

Dr. N. E. Silbert of Lynn, Mass., who tried the drug out on 102 patients, said that within a half hour after a tablet was given, 90 got relief.

First developed in France and produced by Wyeth Inc., Philadelphia, the drug is phenegan hydrochloride. It can be sold only by prescription.

In a clinical report in the May-June issue of *Annals of Allergy*, Dr. Silbert said the results obtained from phenegan were "far superior to those obtained with any other antihistaminic agent."

All the patients he treated were sensitive to grass, tree or ragweed pollen either singly or in various combinations. The drug was given to them in three doses: after breakfast, mid-afternoon and before retiring.

4-Year-Old Child Dying Of Old Age

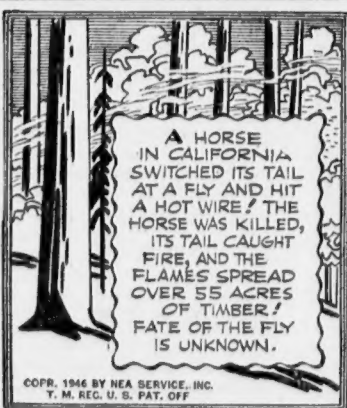
CHICAGO.—A 4-year-old girl, who weighs only 7½ pounds, is dying of old age at the University of Illinois Research and Educational Hospital.

The child is a victim of progeria, or premature senility. Doctors at the hospital said it is one of nature's rarest ailments, both its cause and cure are unknown.

The child, named Linda, entered the hospital Jan. 28, 1948, when she was two months old. She has been there ever since. The hospital declined to make public the child's last name.

This Curious World

By William Ferguson



A HORSE IN CALIFORNIA SWITCHED ITS TAIL AT A FLY AND HIT A HOT WIRE! THE HORSE WAS KILLED, ITS TAIL CAUGHT FIRE, AND THE FLAMES SPREAD OVER 55 ACRES OF TIMBER! FATE OF THE FLY IS UNKNOWN.

QUIZ KORNER

PROFESSIONAL FOOTBALL GRIDIRONS ARE LARGER THAN THOSE USED BY HIGH SCHOOL AND COLLEGE TEAMS.

☐ RIGHT ☐ WRONG



THE SUN BURNS YOUR EYES IF YOU LOOK AT IT, AND YET, BETWEEN THE SUN AND OUR EARTH ARE 93 MILLION MILES OF AIR WITH A TEMPERATURE CLOSE TO 4-59 DEGREES BELOW ZERO.

ANSWER: Wrong. They are the same size.

PRISCILLA'S POP—Nothing But the Truth



The Sports Clinic

(An official department of Sports College)
Conducted by Lloyd "Ace" Percival

Hitting Drill Pays Off

Here's a stunt that will really help your hitting. First, get an old tennis ball or a light rubber ball of any kind. Then, cover it with two layers of black electric tape. When this is done you will have what Joe McCarthy, former manager of the famous New York Yankees called . . . "the best piece of baseball training equipment there is!"

Here's how to use it. Every day for at least 15 minutes before you do any hitting practise with a regulation ball, have a pal, who is a good pitcher, throw this tape-covered rubber ball at you with you trying to hit it. You will find that this ball will curve and jump around in the air in crazy fashion . . . it will be really hard to hit . . . and this is why you should practise in this way. Trying to hit this ball on the nose will teach you many things about holding back your swing, judging curve balls, detecting a change-of-pace and, most important of all, it will train and sharpen up your eyesight in great fashion. When you try to hit the ordinary baseball after a practise with the taped ball . . . you'll see how much easier it seems.

This stunt is a great one for both softball or hardball players to use . . . but if you are a softball player have your pal throw from a shorter distance. If you practise this stunt every day you'll see for yourself how it will improve your general all-round hitting skill. So, don't forget, use this famous trick now and earn headlines for your hitting.

How To Develop Lung Power

As breathing is such an important part of swimming you should always be striving to develop greater lung power. You can do this by "bubble blowing" every day, in a wash basin, swimming pool, or swimming hole. Take a deep breath, put your head under water and practise exhaling with an even pressure until all your breath is gone. Then come up, take another deep breath and repeat. Do this for five or ten minutes each day. Have a pal check to see that you are using diaphragm breathing. If you are the bubbles will come up regularly.

You Must "Cool Off"

Yes, though it might seem unusual to anyone who does not know the medical reasons behind it, it is just as important for the body to become adjusted to inactivity after hard exercise as it is to become adjusted to exercise after inactivity.

If you stop hard physical activity suddenly your heart and circulatory system in general and the other muscles of your body will not be able to relax properly because there will be a tension and accumulation of fatigue acids in them that will take several days to get rid of.

So, make sure you do a few light exercises for two or three minutes and then walk around, moving your arms around until you feel fairly normal, and then give all your muscles a good stretching.

If you are not yet a member of Sports College and wish to join, and take advantage of all the special services, all you have to do is send a letter to: Sports College, Box 99, Toronto 1, Ontario, and say you would like to become a member. Membership is free, anyone can join. To every member goes a free copy of the most recent addition of the Research Guide.

60-Year-Old Teacher Plans 1,400-Mile Stroll

WINNIPEG.—Cornelius L. Toews, 60, a teacher on the Indian reservation 140 miles northwest of Red Deer, Alta., told the Winnipeg Free Press he is contemplating a walking trip from the reservation to Winnipeg, a distance of 1,400 miles.

Mr. Toews said that there will be one or two Indians accompanying on his trip, which is scheduled for next summer.

He has spent the last two years teaching among the Crees and Chipewyans of Alberta.

John Sutter, on whose property gold was first discovered in California, was a Swiss immigrant.

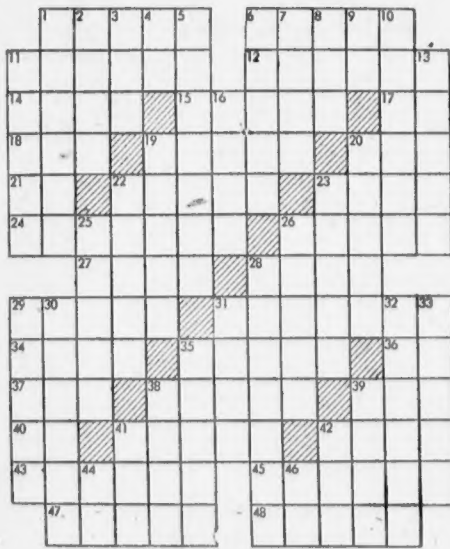
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HORIZONTAL

- 1 Tract of waste land
- 6 Headlands
- 11 Musical composition
- 12 American leopard
- 14 British street car
- 15 Beneath
- 17 Musical note
- 18 Equip with weapons
- 19 Part of leg (pl.)
- 20 Preserve
- 21 Toward
- 22 Locations
- 23 Small fish
- 24 Burst forth
- 26 Bands with adhesive
- 27 Bound
- 28 Rabbit
- 29 Small weight (pl.)
- 31 Annoys
- 34 War god
- 35 People
- 36 Pronoun
- 37 Correlative of neither
- 38 Fencing weapons
- 39 Enclosure
- 40 Concerning
- 41 Card game
- 42 Prohibits
- 43 To load again
- 45 From which place
- 47 Trilla
- 48 Continued attempt to gain possession

VERTICAL

- 1 Terror
- 2 Hindu charitable gift
- 3 Old Dutch liquid measure
- 4 Size of shot
- 5 Frequented place
- 6 Set of secret signals (pl.)
- 7 High cards
- 8 Through
- 9 North Syrian deity
- 10 Comfort
- 11 Condition
- 13 Domesticates
- 16 Require
- 19 Hawk-like birds
- 20 Jokes
- 22 Secret agents
- 23 Challenges
- 25 To issue
- 26 Speaks
- 28 Cavities
- 29 Large estate
- 30 Pressed
- 31 Drudge
- 32 From tract
- 33 To feel
- 35 Foolish conduct
- 38 Complete
- 39 Pain
- 41 Nothing
- 42 Stinging insect
- 44 Musical note
- 46 Exclamation of greeting



Answer To Last Week's Puzzle

GAR HARC SEWS
ARE ORSL ELIA
RAP SABARMATI
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NO STA TAPS
APE DIE PILOT
RU ATT PACHE
GRIMP LET DEW
SEEN BIROR
ELAN EXUDE
MAGAGERS DOR
OMT LAIN GOA
TINY ERNE EXS

—By Al Vermeer



Want Peek At Mars

Husband And Wife Scientists Plan Flight Into Stratosphere

DUNCAN, B.C.—The Piccards want a close peek at Mars. The world famous science team of Dr. Jean Felix Piccard and his wife, Jeannette, are planning a flight into the stratosphere in a free-balloon for 1954.

The plan is to learn some of the answers of the mystery of the planet Mars, which, when nearest to earth, is some 35,000,000 miles away.

Since prehistoric times Mars has been a riddle to man—is it inhabited, can it sustain life? It is known to have canals—sharp thin lines—which have held the attention of scientists for decades.

"If there is oxygen on Mars there must be vegetable life," said Dr. Piccard in an interview here. "Where there is vegetable life, there may be a race of human beings."

The clusters of balloons for a

flight have been tested and proved, he said. The gondola, with its places for the most modern of scientific instruments, is in the mock-up stage in a laboratory at Minneapolis.

"We have set the flight for 1954 because in that year Mars will be in the most favorable position for observation."

The husband-and-wife scientist team plans to observe the spectrum of the mysterious planet, whose orbit lies between that of the earth and Jupiter.

Quick Canadian Quiz

1. Who, in a city crowded with elected office holders, is the first woman ever to be elected to her particular office?
2. In 1939 there were 46,000 federal civil servants. How many today?
3. In the expansion of plants and for new equipment Canadians will spend how much this year?
4. The phrase "perpetual yield" is common to what industry, means what?
5. Which province extends farthest north?

Answers Found in Another Column

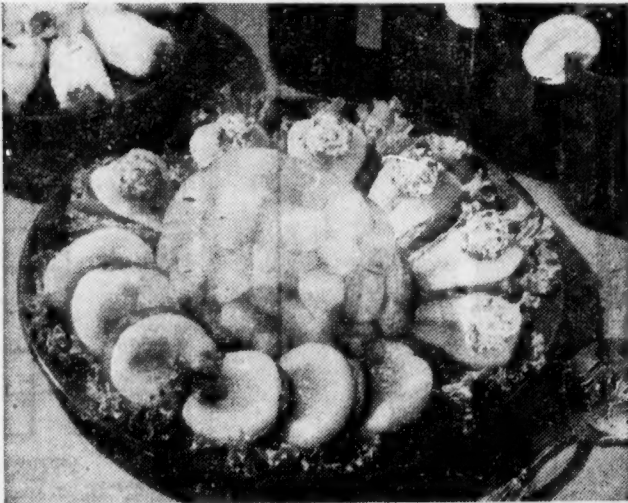
Helpful Hints

Make use of the earring that wasn't lost by clipping it to the bow of a black velvet ribbon and tying it around your wrist.

After filling the jar with jelly, lay a strong piece of string about six inches long over the top of each jar. Then pour the paraffin over the cord and allow to harden. When the jelly is to be used, the paraffin will slip out easily by taking hold of each end of the string and pulling.

After-swimming care of your elasticized bathing suit should consist of gently squeezing the suit through lukewarm soapsuds; working soap into soiled spots with a soft washcloth; and rinsing thoroughly and drying in shade. Never use an iron.

:: APPETIZING RECIPES ::



Fruit salads, pretty as a picture, take the limelight as summer party fare or Sunday dessert. This Fruit Salad Platter is made up of pineapple chunks moulded in lemon jelly, surrounded by fresh or canned peaches and pears, and decorated with cream cheese and nuts.

Fruit Salad Platter

One can pineapple chunks, 1 package lemon-flavored gelatin, salad greens, pear halves, cream cheese, chopped nuts, peach halves, green pepper rings.

Drain pineapple chunks. Add enough water to pineapple syrup to make 1½ cups. Heat; add gelatin and stir until dissolved. Chill until slightly thickened. Add pineapple chunks and pour into a 1-qt. mold.

Chill until firm. Cover a large plate with crisp salad greens. Unmold pineapple salad and place in centre. Arrange pear halves in a half circle around mold, filling the centres with cream and nut balls. (Roll cream cheese into balls and toss in finely chopped nuts.) Complete the circle of fruit by overlapping peach halves, separating each with a green pepper ring. Serve with your favorite salad dressing.

Steers the "United States"



Margaret Truman smiles delightedly, as she takes the wheel of the United States, during its record-breaking maiden voyage. Commodore Harry Manning, commander of the new speed queen, holds Miss Truman's binoculars. The President's daughter attended the first garden party held by Queen Elizabeth, on the grounds of Buckingham Palace.

Whisper From Dying Spinster Reveals \$250,000 In Home

DETROIT. — A whisper from a dying spinster sent her two cousins on a treasure hunt that has yielded more than \$250,000 in cash and securities.

Shortly before 76-year-old Miss Emma Schuknecht died July 8, she put her lips close to the ear of Mrs. Tillie Stotz, a cousin.

"If anything happens to me, look in the closet off the front bedroom," Miss Schuknecht whispered. "All my papers are there."

Miss Schuknecht, a retired department store drapery cutter, always had lived frugally in her shabby home and nobody suspected she had any money.

But Mrs. Stotz called in another cousin, Mrs. Esther Giotz, and they sought the counsel of Ben W. Boutell, an attorney.

Boutell said he and the cousins found \$150,000 in securities and \$100,000 in cash in the closet—but no will.

The attorney and county treasurer's agents rummaged through the spinster's bedroom and found another \$54,544 packed in two large metal boxes, two small fishing tackle boxes and a wooden cigar box.

Boutell said the money was found in all shapes and sizes—four \$1,000 bills, a bundle of \$40 bills issued by a bank several years ago, pennies, silver dollars, and even the \$25 gift certificate fellow employees had given the spinster when she retired in 1948.

He said Miss Schuknecht and her bachelor brother, who died in 1948, had dealt in real estate for 40 years and apparently had saved all their money.

Boutell said the spinster never discarded anything of value. The search uncovered slippers and dresses at least 40 years old.

Miss Schuknecht and her brother had let their gabled frame home, built by their father at the turn of the century in what was then an exclusive uppercrust neighborhood, become rundown like other nearby dwellings.

The house is unpainted. Rugs are threadbare and the furniture is Victorian.

Neighbors said Miss Schuknecht seldom entertained. She cooked on a wood range and heated upstairs rooms with coal stoves.

They said they often saw her carrying home a package of lunch meat to go with the quart of skimmed milk delivered every day by the milkman.

Smile Of The Week

A farmer put up this sign at the entrance to his pasture:

"Hunters, please don't shoot anything on my place that isn't moving. It might be my new hired man."

ANSWERS TO QUICK QUIZ

ANSWERS: 5. Quebec. 3. Five billion dollars. 1. Charlotte Whitton, Mayor of Ottawa. 4. Used in the pulp and paper industry; it means managing forest limits to replace trees as they are cut so as to achieve a continuous supply of logs for the mills. 2. About 160,000.

(Material supplied by the editors of Quick Canadian Facts, the handbook of facts about Canada.)

TIDE PHENOMENA

The tide at the Atlantic end of the Panama canal averages less than one foot, while at the Pacific end it averages more than 12 feet.

ODDITIES In The News

Nature's law of compensation worked out. Mrs. Patsy Tirolo of Greenwich, Conn., prepared her husband's breakfast and his egg turned up with no yolk. A week earlier, another housewife reported she found an egg inside an egg.

A cat named Twinkle at Reading, England, has had no peace since he killed a blackbird. The blackbird's vengeful mate attacks Twinkle in power-dives every time the cat puts a paw outside in daylight.

A British tourist writing to a London newspaper advised that a hotel in Switzerland displays this sign in its bathrooms: "For bathes, please wring the chambermaid."

One London shoe store is doing a brisk business. It allows customers to trade in their old boots and shoes on the cost of a new pair.

It wasn't a dinner bell but it served the same purpose. Mrs. Walter Traylor of Marianna, Ark., said the fishing pole had a bell on it. Nearby sat a woman. The bell began to ring and the woman ran over and pulled up a nice fish.

The one-year-old daughter of Mrs. Roy Schepke of Hawks, Mich., let out a wail in her play pen in the back yard of the Schepke home. When Mrs. Schepke rushed from the house, she found that a young deer had invaded the yard and was drinking milk from the baby's bottle.

Gordon Hooper, 27, of Kidderminster, was startled to see his name on the war memorial in this Worcestershire town. The town clerk apologized and offered to have the name effaced, but Hooper said he did not want to spoil the look of the memorial.

Canadian Fashion



(Women's Wear Bureau Photo)

China blue gabardine outlines the hand stitching in this lovely Canadian suit from Sanders and Gold.

The ancient Romans used lemons to keep moths from their garments. At one time they were considered a deadly poison.

TRY AND STOP ME!

By BENNETT CLEF

A familiar bit of country lore in England concerns the time Queen Victoria was journeying to London for a crucial conference with her prime minister, Disraeli. Her train was racing through a dense fog when suddenly the engineer caught sight of a figure in black waving frantically in direct line of his headlight beam. He jammed on the brakes and the train came to a grinding halt not 50 yards from a spot where a swollen stream had carried away the railroad bridge. Another hundred yards would have meant irretrievable disaster!

The Queen asked to thank the mysterious stranger who had saved her life, but he had vanished completely. The bridge was repaired, and the train completed its journey to London. There, the engineer noticed that a big black moth lay dead in the engine's lamp, its wings outstretched. The reflection of this moth had been the "figure in black" which prevented the wreck! The final touch to the story is that the moth is now mounted on white silk and preserved in the Royal Museum.

The Keys deer of Florida is only about 28 inches high and weighs around 50 pounds. 2996

VIRGIL



By Len Kleis



OUR COMPLETE SHORT STORY —

"SPIKE" ::

Even in Tank Towns Promoters Can't Draw Flies With a Famous Loser.

By ROY V. PIRCE

POP struggled painfully through the fit of coughing. He scowled at the fighter lying on the rubdown table. "Nobody'll give us a fight now! After the way you let that novice beat your brains out..."

Through puffed lips, the boxer replied, "I'll hit my winning streak again!"

"Seems I've heard that before. All you've hit so far is the canvas!" Pop clutched his stomach as he coughed. "I'm afraid there won't be another fight, son. Even in tank towns promoters can't draw flies with a famous loser."

The fighter sat bolt upright. "Hey, Pop! You look sick!"

"I'm O.K.," Pop wheezed. "Just a little empty."

"Say, Pop! Didn't you eat tonight while I was resting?"

"You had to have a steak..." Pop caught hold of the table. "You couldn't fight on an empty..." His legs felt all at once like melted candies, and let him down.

It was four days before he could talk to his fighter again. "How do you think we're gonna pay the bill? And that oxygen tent they've had me under... how in the..."

"Relax, Pop. When have we ever had to accept charity since teaming up?"

It had been eight years ago that Pop had taken a liking to Spike, then a tall, skinny youth on a boys' club boxing team. He had trained and cared for him as he would his own son. And the association had paid off — until recently when the youngster started slipping with one

defeat after another.

"Everything'll be all right," the young man insisted.

Pop exploded. "How?"

Spike's grin showed all his front teeth but three. "I won a fight last night. Got two more lined up."

At that moment, a nurse entered, saying, "Time's up."

Several days later, Spike walked in with an armful of fruit and flowers, then he handed Pop some money. "Just in case you need something, such as chewing gum or cigars 'n' stuff." Spike looked happier than Pop had seen him in a long time.

"Where'd you get all this?"

"Won another fight." Spike was grinning. "And there's plenty more where that came from, too!"

"I don't get it! In each of your last fights you've had your brains scrambled and now, all of a sudden, you hit a winning streak. You ain't mixed up in nothing?" Pop cracked a newspaper. "How come I can't find nothing in the papers about you?"

Spike chuckled. "It's like this, I've made such a lousy record under my own name, I changed it."

"And what's the name of this new miracle fighter?"

Before Spike could answer, a nurse buzzed in and told Pop he'd have to rest now. Spike had already disappeared.

On the eleventh day, Spike paid the hospital bill. It cleaned him out — all but taxi fare. "We got a two-room apartment now, Pop. No more drafty rooms with squeaking iron beds for us."

Looking over the place, Pop opened his mouth to say something, but changed his mind. He went peacefully to bed.

Spike brought him a steaming bowl of soup, crackers and a big glass of milk. Then the fighter scrambled into his coat, saying, "I'm on early tonight at the Arena. Take it easy!" He was gone.

Pop ate his dinner in bed, got up, dressed and went out into the night. He would have braved almost anything to put his mind at rest. Could it be that Spike had suddenly found himself? Pop was almost afraid to hope. It was too good to be true... too much like his dreams. He was chilled through and his teeth were chattering when he reached the Arena. The soft drink and peanut vendors were loud, even above the noisy crowd.

It was then that he came face to face with Spike.

Neither could speak for a moment. With mouths open, they stared at each other.

Spike wore a white cap and coat and he carried a large basket. In it were soda pop, candy, cigars and cigarettes.

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New System Of Transmitting News

TORONTO. — The Canadian Press now is transmitting its news day and night to the daily newspapers of Manitoba and Saskatchewan by teletypesetter operation.

Teletypesetter is an automatic type-setting device. Through code punched in a tape, an operator at a central point operates typesetting machines in distant newspaper offices. If they wish, newspapers can continue to set type manually; copy is delivered as well as tape.

With the opening of the Manitoba-Saskatchewan teletypesetter circuit, the number of Canadian dailies served by this method reached 38. Conversion of the 25-paper Ontario wire from teletype to teletypesetter was completed July 2.

Thomas Jefferson invented the first swivel chair.

Wins Golf Championship

Pat Fletcher of Saskatoon is holding the Cohama Trophy, emblematic of the Canadian Professional Golfers Association championship which he won at Winnipeg with a 54-hole total of 211, one stroke better than the runner-up Jules Huot, Montreal Laval-sur-le-Lac.

Canada's Population Increased By 421,000 In Year--14,430,000

OTTAWA. — Canada's population increased an estimated 421,000 in the year ended June 1, bringing the total to 14,430,000. If the rate of increase could be maintained—indications are that it won't be—Canada's population would hit the 15,000,000-mark by late 1953.

The estimate of the increase in population was made by the bureau of statistics. It took the population total of 14,009,426 recorded June 1, 1951, in the decennial census. It added births and immigration and subtracted deaths and an estimate of emigration.

The increase of 421,000 compared with a gain of 297,000 in the previous 12 months, of 265,000 between June 1, 1949, and June 1, 1950, and of 279,000 between June 1, 1948 and 1949. The 1949 figure did not include the 345,000 population gained by Newfoundland's entry into confederation.

The bureau said that the increase this year was due to a high level of births and to the arrival of 216,000 immigrants between June 1, 1951, and the corresponding date this year.

All provinces shared in the population increase. Largest increase was 168,000 for Ontario followed by 118,000 for Quebec, 33,000 for British Columbia, 31,000 for Alberta, 22,000 for Manitoba, 13,000 for Newfoundland and 11,000 Saskatchewan. Nova Scotia and New Brunswick

each gained 10,000 and Prince Edward Island 5,000.

A decrease in the number of immigrants this year is expected to slow the rate of increase.

Population estimates for the provinces, with 1951 figures in brackets: Newfoundland 374,000 (361,000); Prince Edward Island 103,000 (98,000); Nova Scotia 653,000 (643,000); New Brunswick 526,000 (516,000); Quebec 4,174,000 (4,056,000); Ontario 4,766,000 (4,598,000); Manitoba 798,000 (776,000); Saskatchewan 843,000 (832,000); Alberta 970,000 (939,000); British Columbia 1,198,000 (1,165,000).

Canadians Eat Little Macaroni

MONTREAL. — Canadians are about the world's worst macaroni eaters, according to an expert.

Frederick C. Mueller, president of the national macaroni manufacturers' association, told a trade convention here that in 1951 Italians ate 45 pounds each, Frenchmen ate between 15 and 17 pounds and United States citizens seven pounds.

Canadians lagged where macaroni-eating was concerned, he said. They ate only six pounds of macaroni per capita.

World Standard For Road Signs, Signals Proposed

UNITED NATIONS, N.Y. — An expert committee approved a draft convention to standardize road signs and signals throughout the world.

The convention proposed the use of uniform symbols color and shape to enable motorists to understand road signs in any country.

The cowbird lays her eggs in the nests of other birds, never building one herself.

WESTERN BRIEFS**Liked Canadian Money Only**

VANCOUVER, B.C. — Thieves who broke into the home of a Vancouver couple turned up their noses at a large sum of United States money, but they walked off with \$400 in Canadian bills, worth three cents more on the dollar.

Beaver Interference

BARTHEL, Sask. — Beaver living in Dead Horse Creek caused a miniature flood here when they built a dam that backed up the creek to flood level. A Resources Department official trapped the beaver and dynamited the dam.

Heads Veterinary Association

WINNIPEG. — Dr. W. R. Giesbrecht of Winnipeg was elected president of the Veterinary Association of Manitoba at its 62nd annual meeting. He succeeds Dr. F. A. Hodge of Hamilton. Dr. K. H. Robson of Selkirk was appointed vice-president and Dr. E. J. Rigby of Winnipeg was elected secretary-treasurer.

Blacktopping Completed

ELKHORN, Man. — The last link in the Trans-Canada Highway between Brandon and the Saskatchewan border was completed when blacktopping equipment of the Evans and Commonwealth construction companies met at a point between Elkhorn and Kirkella on July 14th.

Crop Two Weeks Earlier

EDMONTON. — The Alberta grain crop this year is developing about two weeks earlier than normal, field crops commissioner A. M. Wilson said in Edmonton. He said Edmonton-area crops are "better off than they have been for many years."

McTavish Chief

MINNEDOSA, Man. — The prairie branch of the McTavish clan has a new chieftain. Winnipeg-born James McTavish, now of Regina, was elected at a clan gathering at Clear Lake. He succeeds his cousin, Dr. Isabelle McTavish, a retired missionary to China now living in Winnipeg. The new chieftain is a son of W. J. McTavish of Vancouver. Gordon McTavish of Winnipeg is clan secretary.

Tourist Business Booming

BURNABY, B.C. — American tourists are flooding across the international border at Douglas at the rate of 400 to 500 carloads a day—an increase over last year despite the devaluation of U.S. funds. Most of Greater Vancouver's 45 auto court operators who are located in this municipality report a brisk tourist business since the holiday season got under way a month ago.

Liquor Plebiscite Refused

SASKATOON. — The provincial CCF convention here voted down by a decisive margin a move to have a plebiscite held at the next Saskatchewan election on the question of women's beverage rooms and sale of liquor by the glass.

Canine Lover Hounded

MOOSE JAW. — A canine-loving burglar is being hounded by police here for the theft of three puppies from the dog pound. The thief also took with him a stock of food after giving the other 10 dogs in the pound a hearty meal from food he found in the place.

MILK PRODUCTION

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—By Les Carroll

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THE TILLERS

Level Land

Douglas Finch of Sidney, B.C. was visiting with his uncle, Mr. Hugo Wendland of this district.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Trefts and family of Hanna were visiting with the S.D.A. church and friends in the district over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Stern of Stockton, Calif. have been visiting with parents, brothers and friends of this district.

Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Bender of Fulton, South Dakota and Mr. and Mrs. Jesse King of Brookings, South Dakota were weekend visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Leiske. Mr. Bender is a cousin of the Leiskes in this district.

Mr. & Mrs. Edward Renz and daughter of Loveland, Colorado were visiting at the home of Mr. & Mrs. Henry Stern. Mr. Renz is the uncle of Mrs. Stern.

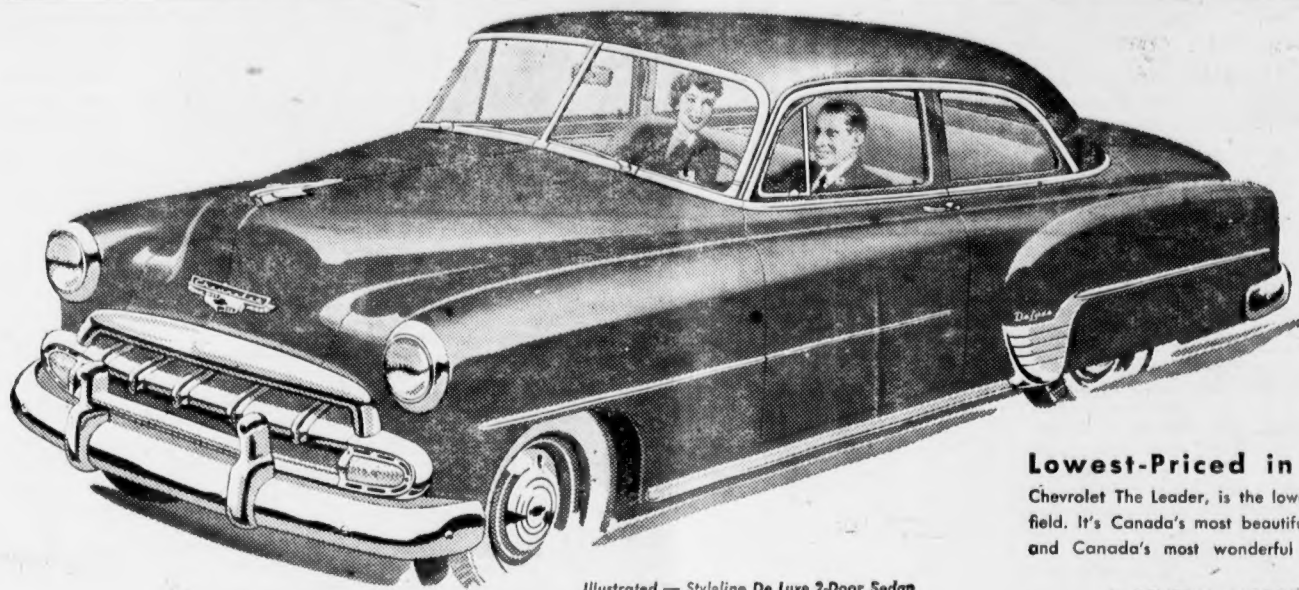
The Beiseker Lions Concert Band went to Vulcan on August 4th to play for the opening day of their two day County Fair. The Fair was opened by a Grand Parade was led by the Vulcan Lions Float announce

ing the County Queen and her age crops, cattle, home cooking, sewing, art and commercial. The Beiseker Ladies in waiting. The Beiseker Lions Band then led the rest of the Parade through ten blocks and up to the arena where exhibits were shown. The Band played at the entrance of the arena until eight o'clock in the evening. Vulcan is to be congratulated on their fair, especially for the many exhibits, some of which were garden vegetables, small fruits, flowers, grain, for-

age crops, cattle, home cooking, sewing, art and commercial.

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Illustrated — Styleline De Luxe 2-Door Sedan

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Valve-in-Head engine performance; and from a new smoother, softer ride to extra-large *Jumbo-Drum Brakes*. Realize, too, that with all their finer quality the new Chevrolets are the *lowest-priced* line in their field, in addition to being exceedingly economical to operate and maintain. Come in... see and drive the new Chevrolet for '52... and let us show you how easily you can own one!



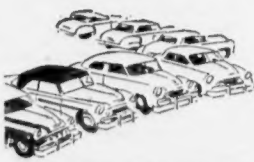
CENTREPOISE POWER

Engine vibration and power impulses are "screened out" — isolated from driver and passengers. Engine rides flexibly suspended between new high-side mountings... centred, poised, cushioned in rubber.



EXTRA LARGE BRAKES

Chevrolet's Jumbo-Drum brakes with their big 11-inch brake drums, apply more leverage for more stopping power. Stops are smoother, safe, with less driver effort. *Bonded* linings last up to twice as long.



GORGEOUS NEW COLORS

Choose from a wide choice of rich new colors and two-tone color combinations... the most wonderful in Chevrolet's field. Distinctive new De Luxe interiors are *color-matched* to the exterior body colors for new color harmony inside and out.



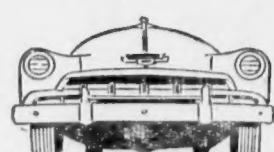
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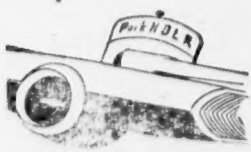
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Pistons are formed from the same material as the cylinder block — expand and contract at the same rate. This helps maintain a precise fit at all engine temperatures — reduces piston wear and oil consumption!



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Chevrolet measures a full 58 3/4 inches between centres of rear wheels — providing a broader base to give you more stability on the road, less sway on the curves!



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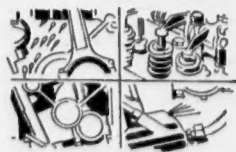
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